

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re, the application of:	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 3689
Kevin J. Zilka et al.	)	
	)	Examiner: Ruhl, Dennis William
Application No.: 10/671,045	)	
	)	Atty. Docket No.: SVIPGP003
Filed: 09/24/2003	)	
	)	Date: March 19, 2009
For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND	)	
COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT	)	
FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY	)	
<u>BUDGET MANAGEMENT</u>	)	

**SUBSTITUTE RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**  
**AND**  
**RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION REGARDING**  
**NON-RESPONSIVE RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner:

As a substitute for the Response to Restriction Requirement filed 11/25/2008 and in response to the Office Communication (regarding a non-responsive response) mailed 02/19/2009 and the Office Action mailed 09/25/2008, please consider the following remarks.